

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

PETRICK et al.

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**For: DEVICES AND METHODS FOR
CROSSING A CHRONIC TOTAL
OCCLUSION**

Group Art Unit: 4123

Examiner: Victoria P. Campbell

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on February 20, 2008, and Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated November 21, 2008, please make the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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